

## THIS OPPORTUNITY SHOULD NOT BE LOST

Never before have such bargains been offered at our great

## Expansion Sale

Perhaps such bargains will never be offered again.

Sale continues only a few days longer.

N. S. SACHS' DRY GOODS CO., LTD., Cor. Fort and Beretania Sts.

## Camara &amp; Co.

LIQUOR DEALERS

Corner Merchant and Alakea Streets.

de Turk Wines,  
White Seal Champagne, qts. and pts.,  
European Wines and Brandy,  
Bulldog Brand Stout and Ale,  
A. B. C., Budweiser, Pacific, Rainier and Primo Beers,  
In qts. and pts.

Telephone Main 492. P. O. Box 664

## IN THE CITY'S CHURCHES

Notices for this column should be sent in not later than 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

Central Union Church, 11 a. m. Rev. William M. Kincaid will preach, subject "Members one of Another."  
7:30 p. m. subject, "Credit, or What a Good Name is Worth."  
6:30 Christian Endeavor meeting, subject, "What Abraham Teaches About Brotherly Care."  
Methodist Episcopal Church, G. L. Pearson pastor. Services tomorrow as follows:  
10 a. m. Sunday School.  
11 a. m. Public worship, and sermon, subject "Methodism Her Policy and Her Work."  
6:30 p. m. Epworth League, subject, "Faith and True Ambition."  
7:30 Song service and sermon, subject "Balaam—the Double Faced Man." A double quartette of young ladies from Kamehameha school will sing.

**WORK IS DELAYED.**  
The construction of the Kalihi reservoir will probably be delayed by condemnation proceedings against the Bishop estate, for land needed for the site. An offer of \$250 per acre has been refused by the estate and \$1,000 per acre is asked. Superintendent Holloway refuses to pay this price and suit may have to be brought.

## DIVIDEND NOTICE.

EWA PLANTATION CO.

The Directors of this Corporation having declared a monthly dividend of 1-2 of 1 per cent, Dividend No. 83 is due and payable on Tuesday, May 21st, 1904, to stockholders of record at the close of the stock transfer books Saturday, May 21st, 1904 at 12 m.

Stock transfer books will reopen on Wednesday, June 1st, 1904.

W. A. BOWEN,

Treasurer.

Honolulu, May 20th, 1904.

## Notice to Bondholders

EWA PLANTATION CO.

In accordance with the terms under which its bonds were issued, the Ewa Plantation Company will pay, with accrued interest on July 1st, 1904, One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) of its bonds. The numbers of the bonds to be paid are as follows:

11	111	221	331
12	112	222	332
13	113	223	333
14	114	224	334
15	115	225	335
16	116	226	336
17	117	227	337
18	118	228	338
19	119	229	339
20	120	230	340
21	121	231	341
22	122	232	342
23	123	233	343
24	124	234	344
25	125	235	345
26	126	236	346
27	127	237	347
28	128	238	348
29	129	239	349
30	130	240	350
31	131	241	351
32	132	242	352
33	133	243	353
34	134	244	354
35	135	245	355
36	136	246	356
37	137	247	357
38	138	248	358
39	139	249	359
40	140	250	360
41	141	251	361
42	142	252	362
43	143	253	363
44	144	254	364
45	145	255	365
46	146	256	366
47	147	257	367
48	148	258	368
49	149	259	369
50	150	260	370
51	151	261	371
52	152	262	372
53	153	263	373
54	154	264	374
55	155	265	375
56	156	266	376
57	157	267	377
58	158	268	378
59	159	269	379
60	160	270	380
61	161	271	381
62	162	272	382
63	163	273	383
64	164	274	384
65	165	275	385
66	166	276	386
67	167	277	387
68	168	278	388
69	169	279	389
70	170	280	390
71	171	281	391
72	172	282	392
73	173	283	393
74	174	284	394
75	175	285	395
76	176	286	396
77	177	287	397
78	178	288	398
79	179	289	399
80	180	290	400
81	181	291	401
82	182	292	402
83	183	293	403
84	184	294	404
85	185	295	405
86	186	296	406
87	187	297	407
88	188	298	408
89	189	299	409
90	190	300	410

Notice is hereby given to the holders of these bonds to present the same for payment at the office of the Treasurer of the Ewa Plantation Company in Honolulu on July 1st, 1904, and that interest on same will cease from and after that date.

W. A. BOWEN,  
Treasurer, Ewa Plantation Co.  
Honolulu (Hawaii) May 18, 1904.

## THE WEATHER AND HOW IT IS OBSERVED

"Weather record for Honolulu and the Hawaiian Islands, 1903," is the title of the annual report of the Territorial weather bureau which has just been issued. It is prepared by Robert C. Lydecker, Territorial Meteorologist, and issued under the authority of Walter E. Wall, Territorial Surveyor, under whose department it is a bureau.

It contains tables of rainfall for all the islands, and various places on each island for each month. There are also tables of barometer readings and other observations with notes explanatory and elucidatory of them, together with maps of the islands showing the location of the observation stations. The introductory notes are of general interest and are here reproduced:

The central station, where the main part of the following observations were taken, is at Punahou in East District of Honolulu, about two miles east of the post office, at 1508 Alexander street, Lat. 21° 17' 50" N.; Lon. 157° 49' 45" W. Elevation above mean sea level 50 feet.

Observations at this station were begun in August, 1883. A report was published in 1890 embodying the previous results at this and other points in the Hawaiian group.

Annual reports of detail have been published embracing 1892 to 1902 inclusive. The editions of 1890 and 1892 are exhausted.

The barometric readings are corrected to sea-level and temperature 32° F. The gravity correction, which is .06 for this latitude, has also been applied for this year. As it was not applied previous to 1890, this fact should be borne in mind in making comparisons with the records previous to that date, also with the usually published charts with isobars thereon.

The half sum of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. observations is adopted as the mean pressure and is found not to differ practically from the mean of maxima and minima as given by a barograph.

The direct mean of temperatures at 6 a. m., 2 p. m., and 9 p. m. has been adopted from the first as the

mean for the day. These three periods characterize the day, and also doubtless give in this latitude the nearest approximation to the real mean. The mean of maximum and minimum is found to be about 0.7° higher than the mean for the 24 hours. The minimum temperature is given first in order because it is the minimum for the night preceding the daylight period of the day specified. That is, the minimum thermometer is read before noon, and the maximum is set in the evening.

The humidity is determined by whirling or aspirated psychrometer, and Ferrel's Tables of 1886.

The absolute humidity is the mean of 6 a. m., 9 a. m., 2 p. m., and 9 p. m., and is expressed in grains of weight, rather than in degrees of dew-point as being the more expressive in indicating gradations.

The rain-gauge, 8 inch, is placed directly on the ground. The rainfall is observed at 9 a. m., and recorded for the date of observation and not for the day before.

The record of cloudiness and wind is the average for the daytime. Two figures or two points of the compass with a dash or a hyphen between indicate a change from one to the other. In addition to the usual abbreviations for cloud forms W is used to designate "Wind Cloud" which appears over the mountains with a sharply defined horizontal outline during strong N. E. wind at times.

The force of the wind is by the well known Beaufort Scale, as follows:

- 0.—Calm, 0 to 3 miles per hour.
1. Light air, 3—8 miles per hour.
2. Light breeze, 8—13 miles per hour.
3. Gentle breeze, 13—18 miles per hour.
4. Moderate wind, 18—23 miles per hour.
5. Fresh breeze, 23—28.
6. Strong breeze, 28—34.
7. Gale, 34—40.

And so on up to 12, which is the most violent hurricane. It should be understood that these velocities express the movement of the air high up above any ordinary obstacle, or on the open sea in the immediate neighborhood of Honolulu.

## OFFICIAL ACCOUNT

Washington, May 21st, 1904.

To SAITO.

On the 20th inst one company of enemy appeared at six miles to the north of Takushan and was surrounded by our infantry. The enemy fled with many casualties and one Russian captain was taken prisoner. No casualties on our side.

TAKAHIRA.

## DAMAGE BY FLOODS

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

CHEYENNE, May 21.—There have been serious floods in Wyoming and Colorado. The losses will be millions of dollars.

## Russians Fight Korean Garrison

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

SEOUL, May 21.—The Russian forces exchanged shots with the Korean garrison at Kankow, near Gensan.

## TOGO STILL AT IT

Washington, May 21, 1904.

To SAITO.

Admiral Togo reports that our gunboat squadron, destroyer and torpedo-boat flotillas approached Port Arthur on the 20th inst for reconnoitering. They were successful in their mission with little damage despite the hot crossfire from the enemy's forts. No casualties on our side.

TAKAHIRA.

## BUFFALO COMES TO PORT TODAY

The U. S. S. Buford arrived this morning from the Orient. The vessel went out to the Philippines as escort to the torpedo flotilla. She was ordered to return home by way of the Suez Canal but after reaching Singapore, she was ordered to go to San Francisco by way of Guam and Honolulu. She left Singapore April 28.

The vessel will proceed from Honolulu to San Francisco, then go down to Panama where she will transfer her short term men across the isthmus of Panama to Colon from where they will be taken home and discharged going by Dixie. The Buford will return to Mare Island and become the training ship of the Pacific Squadron. She will remain several days in port.

**AUTOMOBILE MAIL MAN.**  
A rural mail carrier in Sterling is delivering the mail from an automobile.

## MEHEULA'S CASE

A plea in abatement has been filed in the Meheula vouchers case by Attorney Ashford. It is on the ground that the Grand jury which found the indictment had one member who was disqualified to sit. A motion for permission to file such a plea has also been made, and the matter will come up for argument on Monday. The only question is as to whether such a plea is allowable at the present stage of the case, Judge De Bolt having already ruled that the point as to the defect in the indictment is good, in the Testa case.

**NEW HIS BUSINESS.**  
"Yes," said the druggist to the applicant for a position, "I need an assistant. Are you a graduate in pharmacy?"  
"Not me," replied the job hunter. "I ain't one of them cheap pill compounders; but I can draw soda with both hands and mix 107 different sirups."

## SUGAR ON HAWAII.

Admiral Beckley of the steamer Kaimanohau reports the following sugar on hand at various Hawaii plantations ready for shipment: Oahu, 8400 bags; Waialae, 5500; Hawaii Mill 1500; Waiakua 5500; Oonaha 2100; Pepeekeo, 12,000; Honouliuli, 13,400; Hakalau, 8,000; Laupahoehoe 1500; Ooakala, 2000; Kakaia 1400; Paauhau 2100; Honokaa 5000; Kukuhaele none; Punalou 8854; Honouso 1973.

Twenty-five cents pays for a Want ad in the Star. A bargain.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## BY AUTHORITY

## EXECUTIVE NOTICE.

During the absence of the Governor from the Territory, the Secretary of the Territory will act as Governor.

A. L. C. ATKINSON,  
Secretary of Hawaii.  
Capitol, Honolulu, May 21, 1904.

## SHERIFF'S SALE NOTICE.

Under and by virtue of a certain Execution issued by Alex. Lindsay, Jr., Second District Magistrate of Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, on the 22nd day of April, 1904, in the matter of A. Herbert and D. H. Ward vs. J. A. Durant, I did, in said Honolulu, on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1904, levy upon, and shall offer for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Police Station, Kalaheua Hale, in said Honolulu, at 12 o'clock noon of Monday, the 6th day of June, A. D. 1904, all the right, title and interest of the said J. A. Durant in and to the following described personal property, unless the sum of three hundred and thirty-four and 71-100 dollars, that being the amount for which said execution issued, together with interest, costs and my fee and expenses are previously paid:

One Gasoline Launch, together with its engine and apparatus.

For further particulars apply at my Office.

Dated at said Honolulu, this 5th day of May, A. D. 1904.

A. M. BROWN,  
High Sheriff, Territory of Hawaii.

## NOTICE.

During my absence from the Country, Mr. W. F. Allen will act for me under full Power of Attorney.

F. W. MACFARLANE,  
Honolulu, May 20, 1904.

## POWER OF ATTORNEY.

During my absence from the Territory Mr. Jas. F. Morgan will act for me under full Power of Attorney.

W. H. HOOGE,  
Honolulu, May 21, 1904.

## At Auction!

Monday May 23

Commencing at 10 a. m. upon the premises of the Government Nursery, King street, cor. Keeaumoku street, by order of the Commissioners of Agriculture and Forestry, I will sell very valuable and rare

## Plants, Trees, Shrubs, and Palms

## PARTIAL LIST:

Arenga Saccharifera Palm (Sugar Palm), Areca Catechu (Bottle Nut Palm), Areca Rubra (Red Palm), Hedyotis Filamentosa (California), Cocos Plumosa (Monkey Nut Palm), Latania Borbonica (Fan Palm), Oreodoxa Hicida (Royal Palm), Thrinax Agavea (House Palm), etc., etc.  
Sour Sop, Alligator Pear, Averrhoa-carambola (Chinese fruit), Papaya, Orange, Lemon, Shaddock, Coffee, Mangoes, No. 579 Chutney Mangoes, Granadina Guava, Tamarind, etc.  
And many others including many valuable and rare Forest and Ornamental Trees.

On exhibition previous to sale.

WILL E. FISHER,  
AUCTIONEER.

## NEW CHINESE THEATER

Hotel Street near River.

Saturday, May 28

MONSTER NAVAL BOXING CAR-NIVAL under the management of PADDY RYAN.

FRANK NICHOLS of Honolulu

VS.

S. ROBINSON of U. S. New York

10 ROUNDS.

Marquis of Queensbury Rules. Catch weights, also.

H. H. Ahl vs. J. Weeber,

126 Pounds—4 Rounds.

A. M. Erving vs. B. B. Gardner,

140 Pounds—4 Rounds.

F. O. Stayer vs. H. Buchet

4 Rounds—115 Pounds for the feather-weight Championship of the Fleet.

A Battle Royal Between

I. L. Taft, H. H. Bryan, J. A. Smith

and J. Solomon. All at Catch

Weights, 3 Rounds.

And other Miscellaneous Items. Further particulars in future notice.

## HENRY WATERHOUSE TRUST CO. LTD.

Real Estate Agents  
Stock & Bond Brokers  
Insurance & Bonding Agents

INVESTMENTS SECURED  
LOANS NEGOTIATED  
PROPERTY MANAGED

## SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES

Cor. Fort and Merchant Sts.

P. O. Box 346  
et. Main 313.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENT BY AUTHORITY

## A Proclamation!

Whereas, it is provided by Section 21 of An Act to provide a Government for the Territory of Hawaii, passed by the Fifty-Sixth Congress of the United States of America, on the twenty-seventh day of April and approved on the thirtieth day of April, A. D. 1900, "That the public property ceded and transferred to the United States by the Republic of Hawaii, under the Joint Resolution of Annexation, approved July 7th 1898, shall be and remain in the possession, use and control of the Territory of Hawaii and shall be maintained, managed and cared for by it and its own expense until otherwise provided for by Congress or taken for the uses and purposes of the United States by direction of the President or of the Governor of Hawaii;" and

Whereas, it is necessary for the transaction of the public business of the United States relating to Post Offices and the postal service that certain buildings and lot of land within and in the possession, use and control of the Territory of Hawaii to set apart for such purpose.

Now therefore, I, George R. Carter, Governor of the Territory of Hawaii, by virtue of the authority in me vested, do hereby declare and proclaim that the following described piece of land, the buildings thereon and the furniture and fixtures therein contained, are hereby taken for the uses and purposes of the United States, to wit:

Beginning at the present North corner of the Post Office Building on the Southeast side of Bethel Street, as shown on Government Survey Registered Map No. 2219, and running by true azimuth:

1. 68° 25' 78.0 feet along Southeast side of Bethel Street;

2. Thence following a curve to the left having a radius of 16 feet, direct azimuth and distance being: 20° 53' 14.7 feet.

Thence,

3. 332° 06' 62.0 feet along Merchant Street;

4. 245° 52' 58.2 feet along Government Land;

5. 154° 10' 65.0 feet along McCandless lot to point of beginning.

Area 6,324 square feet, saving and excepting a space beginning at the North angle of this lot the azimuth of said point being 234° 10' and distance 38.9 feet from the present North corner of the Post Office Building, as shown on Government Survey Registered Map No. 2219, and running by true azimuth:

1. 234° 10' 7.0 feet;

2. 63° 52' 86.2 feet along Government Land;

3. 152° 05' 7.0 feet along new mauka line of Merchant Street;

4. 243° 52' 86.4 feet to point of beginning.

Area 604 Square feet, which is hereby reserved as an open passage way and right of way until further notice.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Seal of the Territory of Hawaii to be affixed.

Done at the Capitol in Honolulu this 20th day of May A. D. 1904.

G. R. CARTER,

By the Governor

A. L. C. ATKINSON,

Secretary of Hawaii